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Team: Arts and Faith-Based*

***We have an arts sub-team and a faith sub-team. Faith will meet as soon as information on faith-funding is available.**

As our arts and faith partners, I wanted to update you on our progress with America Recovery Act – how we're organizing; proposals; and information resources

Subteams: Because the funding streams differ, we will be working with two sub-teams, one for arts and one for faith. The arts team has met. The faith team will meet once we receive the funding guidelines.

Proposals: Besides the grants that will be directed to arts or faith, there may be projects that qualify under other funding streams such as energy or education. I encourage you to explore the sites listed below and let us know if you have a proposal that might qualify for funding under teams other than arts or faith (ex. Energy, education, see www.LouisvilleKy.gov/recovery for full list of teams). Once a project is added to the City's Master List, it will be reviewed by the appropriate team and you will be contacted if additional information is needed. Please send any proposals to: Daro.Mott@louisvilleky.gov. The following information must be included: Project description, estimated funding required, estimated number of jobs created, funding source (if known) and team, matching funds, start date, end date.

Information Resources:

- www.recovery.gov (Federal)
- www.LouisvilleKy.gov/recovery (we will have weekly updates under the arts and faith team.)
- www.artscouncilky.gov (State Arts Council)
- www.southarts.org (Southern Arts Federation)
- www.arts.gov (National Endowment for the Arts)

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Mary Lou Northern at 574-6256 or Mary.Northern@louisvilleky.gov. You may also contact Althea Jackson at 574-1050 or althea.jackson@louisvilleky.gov. Because of the large number of queries we are receiving, we would appreciate your questions be posted to us by email rather than telephone so we may easily respond and log. Thank you.